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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY QUESTION- Public Services-
Concessions to candidate who took part in
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY QUESTION. STARRED NO. 322.

M.A. SALAM SAHIB BAHADUR, M.L.A.

* Q. No. 322:

Will the Hon'ble the Premier be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have decided to give concessions to political sufferers that seek entry into the Public Services of the Province;
- (b) if the answer to (a) is in the affirmative, what the concessions given are?

PUBLIC (SERVICES) DEPARTMENT?

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- (a) YES.
- (b) The Hon'ble Member's attention is invited to Press Note No.58, dated 28th March 1949 a copy of which is placed in the Library of the Secretariat of the Madras Legislature for reference.

(The above answer has been approved by the Hon'ble the Premier and the Hon'ble Minister (Finance.))

Fort St. George, Madras. | For Chief Secretary to Government.
Dated the 14th July 1949. |

To the Secretariat of the Madras Legislature.
Copy to the Public (Elections) Department.
Copy to Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Premier.

Public (Services B) Department
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

Public Works (Information & Publicity)
Department.

PRESS NOTE No.58, dated 26th March, 1949.

Political Sufferers and Government Service.

Concessions granted.

Following the concessions granted by the Government of India in the matter of entry into Government service to persons who took part in the national movements and were thereby prevented from availing themselves of the normal opportunities for such entry into Government service, the Government of Madras have decided to give the concessions mentioned below to such persons when seeking entry into the public services of this province:-

(1) Where the prescribed conditions regarding qualifications are strictly fulfilled and any other considerations affecting the assessment of merits of candidates are equal, participation in national work should be regarded as an additional qualification and preference accorded to candidates who have made sacrifices in the cause of the country's independence.

(2) Relaxation of the age limit in favour of such persons in deserving cases should also be made.

2. To be eligible for the age concession referred to in paragraph 1 above a candidate must have taken part in the national movements and must---

- (a) (i) either have been actually debarred from employment or refused admission to a selection or examination on account of his political activities; or
- (ii) have been imprisoned or detained on account of his political activities thus preventing him from appearing for such a selection or an examination; and
- (b) at the time when he was so debarred or prevented from appearing for such selection or examination he should have been within the normal age-limits prescribed therefor.

NOTE: It is not necessary for the purpose of this concession that a candidate should have been actually imprisoned or under detention at the time of selection or examination, if he would otherwise have been a candidate, but for his imprisonment or detention.

If a candidate fulfils the above conditions, the age limit will normally be relaxed in his favour provided he is not over 35 years on the date of commencement of examination (Written or oral or both) where selection is made by the Madras Public Service Commission and on the date of appointment in other cases.

3. A candidate, who claims the concession for relaxation of the age-limit, should submit, along with his application for appointment or for admission to any examination or selection a certificate from a member of the Central or Provincial Legislature, or an affidavit filed before a First Class Stipendiary Magistrate by a respectable person testifying

to the facts about the candidates' participation in the national movements. The appointing authority or the Madras Public Service Commission, as the case may be, will admit the application if it is otherwise in order. The question of relaxing the age limit will be considered by the Government if the applicant is actually selected for appointment.

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Secretary to Government.

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